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Group Art Unit: 2873
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In re application of :
Abby AYOUB :
Serial No.: 09/621,223 :
Filed: July 21, 2000 :
For: OPTICAL LENS COATING

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated August 20, 2002, please enter the following reply and amendment, which place the application in condition for allowance or, alternatively, in better condition for appeal.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claims 1 and 9 to read as follows:

1. An apparatus, comprising:

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an optical lens for use in eyeglasses, said lens having an edge; and,
a colored coating affixed to at least a portion of only the edge of the lens, said colored coating being effective to reduce the appearance of a white ring along the perimeter of the face of said lens.

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